GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

ADVISORS – Sri Sreedhara Panicker Somanath, Professor, Vikram Sarabhai Space Center – Appointed as Honorary Advisor (Space Technology) to Government of Andhra Pradesh in the Cabinet Rank– Further Orders – Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (POLITICAL.A) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 605 Dated: 25-03-2025

G.O.Rt.No.576, General Administration (Poll.A) Dept, dt:19.03.2025.

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ORDER:

In G.O. read above, Government have appointed Sri Sreedhara Panicker Somanath, Professor, Vikram Sarabhai Space Center as Honorary Advisor (Space Technology) to Government of Andhra Pradesh in the Cabinet Rank, initially for a period of two years from the date of assumption of charge of the post or till the necessity of the post ceases, whichever is earlier, duly mentioning the [10] (i-x) areas on which the Honorary Advisor will advise the Government.

2. Further, Government hereby issue orders to assign the following additional areas:

xi. Advice policies on Space hubs and Space Cities to support space ecosystems development.

xii. Guide the establishment of space systems manufacturing and assembly hubs.

xiii. Interface with ISRO, NSIL and INSPACE of Department of Space for all technology, business and facilitation support for the space hubs.

xiv. Establish "Space City" program where Space manufacturing ecosystems for rockets and spacecrafts to serve domestic and global customers to be created.

xv. Liaison and connect with global space agencies, firms and industries for technology, promotion and business development including leading physical visits of necessary delegation.

3. The ITE & C Department, shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K.VIJAYANAND
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri Sreedhara Panicker Somanath, Professor,
Vikram Sarabhai Space Center
The ITE & C Department
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All the District Collectors

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The Deputy Pay & Accounts Officer, A.P. Secretariat.
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The Principal Secretary to C.M.
The P.S to Chief Secretary.
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